



Baltimore County Commission on Disabilities

Providing support and advocacy for citizens with disabilities for over 25 years.

BALTIMORE COUNTY COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

Our mission is to foster attitudes and promote behaviors which respect and value people with disabilities among County government, its citizens, and others.

Our vision is for a culture and environment to exist in Baltimore County which provides the support and opportunities for people with disabilities to participate fully in all aspects of community life.

The Commission on Disabilities includes people with disabilities, family members, representatives of public and private service-providing agencies, and State and local government. The Commission works to assure that all of the County's programs and services are accessible.

The Commission on Disabilities is part of the Baltimore County Department of Planning and is made up of volunteers who are appointed by the County Executive.

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Objectives

To provide an effective and systematic delivery of public and private resources to citizens of Baltimore County who have disabilities.

To identify the strengths and weaknesses of programs, services and resources in the County to assure an effective delivery system.

To propose methods for meeting the needs of Baltimore County citizens with disabilities, and their families.

Work Groups

In order to meet our objectives, the Commission on Disabilities sponsors the following work groups:

Education

Reviews and advises on issues related to disabilities and education in Baltimore County.

Employment

Acts as a resource for employment professionals ??? and advises on issues related to employment of individuals with disabilities.

Housing

Examines the issues concerning the availability of affordable and accessible housing.

Public Policy

Monitors the local and State legislative issues and prepares the Commission's legislative agenda for elected officials.

Public Relations & Special Events

Organizes the Annual Awards Luncheon and other public information and awareness events.

Transportation

Studies issues related to effective transportation for individuals with disabilities.

Universal Access

Maintains and updates the Priority Matrix for making County facilities and services accessible to citizens with disabilities.

You do not have to be a member of the Disabilities Commission to participate in one or more of its Work Groups. If you are interested in being appointed to the Commission, or volunteering on a Work Group, please contact the Commission at 410-887-3317 or plncod@baltimorecountymd.gov

